MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

Money is quoted plentiful in "monetary circles." which, however, do not extend much south of the Potomac, and while there is no actual stringency still greenbacks connot be quoted plentiful hereabouts. Street rates 9a12, while in New York call loans are quoted at 31, and prime commercial paper at 5 per cent. Government securities are strong. Southern railroad bonds are in request at low rates. Sales of Orange, Alexandria and Manassas bonds at 802. Virginia consols 514a52; coupons 77a774. Corporation of Alexandria 68a70, with very little in the market.

Alexandria Market, Mar	ret	1	3,	18	74	
FLOUR, Superfine			8	7	00	
Fine	4	75	8	5	00	
Extra	7	50	8	8	25	
Family	8	50	8	9	25	
Family choice	9	50	8	9	75	
WHEAT, common to fair	1	40	8	ï	55	
Fair to good	î	15	n	ī	65	
Good to prime	î	65	8	1	70	
Prime to choice red	i	70	8	1	75	
Prime choice to white	î	75	8	i	80	
CORN, white	ô	78	n	0	0.70570	
Mixed	ŏ	76	я	0	78	
Yellow	ő	76	8		78	
RYE	25	93	8		95	
OATS	ŏ	53	я		58	
BUTTER, prime	ő	40	14		43	
Common to middling	ŏ	25	н		35	
	ü	16	8	U)	77 C.	
EGGS	0	15	1	ŏ	18	
TURKEYS, dressed	3	00	9	4	00	
IRISH POTATOES	- 250	60	8		75	
IKISH POTATOES	ĭ	75	2		(0)	
ONIONS DRESSED HOGS	6	50	н		(X)	
BACON, Hams, country	U	11	В.		125	
Western	0	14	4	Õ	15	
Sides	()	94	H	Ü	11	
Shoulders	0	84		U	9	
	ŏ	104	8	0	11	
LARD	7	50	8	1075	00	
PLASTER, ground, per ton	9	50	a		00	
Ground, in bags or barrels.	8	50	A	0	00	
Ground, in bags, returned.	5	25	A.		50	
SALT, G. A. (Liverpool)	1	35	23		50	
	2	25	a	0.75	40	
WOOL, common unwashed	õ	28	8		30	
Washed	0	38	8	100	40	
Merino, unwashed	0	28	8	0.75	30	
	0	38	A.	100	40	
Merino, washed	U	.10			10	

REMARKS - There is nothing doing in Flour; receipts are light, with but little demand; besides the shipment of 500 bbls Supers and Extras to Northern ports, we hear of no transactions; market closes dull, with prices unchanged. There is a better feeling in the Wheat market. and high grades are in active request at an advance of 2s3c since the opening of the week; market closes firm; offerings to-day light, with sales of a strictly cho'ce lot of white at 180, and red at 150, 166 and 170 for fair, good and prime lots. Corn opened very active and continued brisk through the week, prices advancing fully 10c, till towards the close, when prices weaken ed, declining la2c on yesterda;'s quotations; offerings to-day of 1714 bushels, with sales of white at 80, and mixed at 76, 77 and 78. Rye is unchanged. Outs were very scarce at the first of the week and prices were high, but towards the close liberal receipts caused a decline, market being quoted at its close at 53a58. Prime Butter is very scarce and in demand; prices are steady. Eggs are dull, with an overstocked market, and prices are off. The starcity of Poultry has caused an advance of 2a3c. Potatoes are in liberal receipt at last week's quotations. Dressed Hogs are arriving freely; we have no change to note in prices. Bacon is quiet and unchanged.

BALTIMORE CATTLE MARKET, March 12, 1874. Prices to-day for Beef Cattle ranged as follows: Best Beeves at 612a\$687; generally rated first quality at 500a\$612; medium to good fair quality at 4 00a\$5 00; ordinary thin Steers, Oxen and Cows at 0 00a\$0 00; inferior and lowest grades of Cattle 0 00a\$0 00—general average of the market to-day \$5.25; extreme range of prices 4.00a\$6.87. Most of the sales were from 4.75 to \$5.75 per 100 lbs. Total receipts for the week 1174 head, against 1071 last week, and 1525 head same time last year. Total sales for the week 1096 head, against 897 last week, and 13 % head same time last year. There was much more activity in the market this week than for several weeks past, and prices in a large number of instances were fully to higher than last week, and the animation prevaled throughout the whole progress of the

Sheep-The market has been fully supplied with stock this week, most of which has been of a common order, and sales of such were slow. The new good Sheep received were readily taken at top prices about as fast as they arrived, the supply being scarcely equal to the demand. We quote at 41a71c per lb gross. Receipts this week 2258 head.

Hogs-The arrivals this week are almost identical in numbers with the receipts of last week, and the demand, at no time brisk, has kept pace with the receipts till now the market is nearly bare of stock, and the next movement looked for by most dealers is most likely to be an advance in prices. There has been a limited number of good fat Hogs, and these were most active, while the others were quite slow. We quote at 7a \$7.871 per 100 lbs net Receipts 7225 head.

CEICAGO CATTLE MARKET, March 12.-Cattle -receipts 2600 head; fairly active and firm at full pr c s; good to choice Steers 5a\$5 75; extra mil pr c.s; good to choice Steers 255 75; extra 6 \$6 25; good to choice fee lers 4 255\$4 65; shipments 1700 head. Live Hogs active and firm; receipts 8500 head; choice grades higher; common to far 4 60.\$5 3); good to choice 5 45a \$5 75; extra 5 70a 6 25; shipments 60.00 head. Sheep active; receipts 1800 head; fair to good 5 374a \$6; choice to extra 6 50a \$7.

RICHMOND CATTLE MARKET, March 12 -Cattle-145 head of common to extra were offered, which sold at from 3 50 to \$6 50 per 100 lbs gross. Sheep sold at from 4 50a\$6 50 per 100 'b. gr.ss; Hogs at 7a\$8 per 1 0 lbs net, and Veals at from

RICHMOND MARKET, March 12 -Tre offerings on Change to day were limited, amounting to only about 700 bushels of Wheat, 300 of Cora and 1176 of Oats. Sales of Wheat 175 for good white, and 160 for fair red. Sales of prime write and mived Corn at 83. Sales of Oats at 63:64 for good to prime.

LYNCHBURG MARKET, March 12.-Receipts of Flour are tair. Offerings of Wheat moderate, and prices are a shade lower; white 170a175; red 160a170. The receipts of Corn have increased, and prices have fallen off; quotations 75 80. Osis la far receipt, and prices lower-52a574.

FREDERICKSBURG MARKET, March 12.-The Wheat is quiet with light off-rings of Grain. Wheat is quoted at 140al80 for good to choice; Cern 68a.0. Rye 90 95, and Oats 60 63.

COAL .- The James River and Kanawha Canal Company have applied to the Legislature for an horny to borrow ten millions of dollars for the purpose of completing the canal from Buchaton to Clifton Forge, on the Chesapeake and Ohm Railroad. The extension will be very advantageous to our city in many respects, but prin ipally becau e it will cheapen coal. The cost of fuel in this city is now most burdensome. The Kanawha coal brings at present 36c a bushel, and anthracite 40c—which would be equal to about \$10 per ton for the latter. If this new extension is sold the valuable property known as Hunter's sold be sold in this city as low as \$5 per ton. At least it ought to be. Wi h dumping schutes arranged at Cutton Forge, to that the cars can deposit the coal directly in the boats, no cost will be incurred in handling, and transportation ought to be reasonable. This diminution in the price of coal will work great good for Lynchburg. Every-body will teel it. Gas bills must come down, and all branches of tusiness will be affected by it. Our foundries cau resume, and the reopening of operations at the rolling m l! be an assured success. So important a matter has not been presented to our citizens for a long time, and we encouragement to the efforts of the Canal Com-pany.—[Lynchburg News.

The thanks of the undersigned are hereby te. dered the Fire Department for the very efficient services rendered on the morning of the 12th instant.

[lt] D. M. FRENCH. A NOTHER LOT OF NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES received and for sale by mh 13 J. C. MILBURN.

LOCAL NEWS.

ALEXANDRIA TURNPIKE COMPANY. - A Roach, secretary.

The chairman stated that the object of the turnpike road between Alexandria and Washington, which was in an unsafe condition. Justice N. S. Wright, Mr. J. C. Roach, Mr. Truman P. Hull and others, after which the adopted:

Whereas, by an act of Congress, approved Bridge Point, on Alexander's Island, opposite the city of Washington," and requiring said corporation to keep the said road and bridge in good repair -said road to be not less than require the present arrangement. thirty feet wide; and whereas since the passage of said act the Assembly of Virginia have passed certain acts in regard to turnpikes and other companies, and requiring them to keep the roads in good repair; and whereas the railroad company running between Alexandria city and Washington has taken possession of said turnpike road, by right of purchase or some other means, and claim to be the owners thereof, and have constructed a double rail track between said road, and have not and do not keep said manifest injury of the travelling public: there-

Resolved by the property owners of Alexonin favor of railroads passing through our lands and will use all honorable means to secure for them aid and assistance in furthering their objects, but at the same time we enter our protest against their action in monopolizing a turnpike road for their aggrandizment without keeping the remaining portion of said turnpike road in good repair as required by law.

Resolved, That in our opinion, the condition of the turnpike (so-called) road between Alexaudria and Washington is in a dangerous and unsafe condition for travel, and should be either repaired by the Railroad Turnpike Company or taken possession of and worked by the Board of Public Works, and by them placed in a proper condition.

Messrs. Benjamin Austin, H. D. Smith and S. B. Corbett were appointed a committee to lay the subject before the Governor, Legislative Assembly and Congress.

POLICE REPORT. - The following cases have been reported at police headquarters since yes-

terday : The case of John Laws and Zip Gray, colored, for disorderly proceedings on the 23d ult. a: Nailor's Hill, was again postponed in consequeuce of the absence of witnesses. Ww. Johnson, colored, for disorderly con-

duct, was discharged with a reprimand. Edward Bryant, a colored boy, for obstructing the sidewalks, was discharged with a rep-

Douglas Mason, colored, for obstructing the sidewalk and using profane language, was held for examination.

The above cases were before the Mayor. ty constable to be examined before Justice N. S. Wright, at Arlington.

Richard Smith, a one legged colored man, committed to jail to await the result of his wife's injuries, was examined before Justice Wright, at Arlington, and fully committed for court on the charge of deliberately attempting able colored man, seventy-four years of age, cine. to kill his wife by shooting her in the head. There were no lodgers at the station house

IN MEMORIAM. -At a meeting of the colored civizens of Alexandria, held last night to appoint a committee of arrangements to prepare for a general meeting of all the colored people of this city, regardless of sex, in respect to the memory of the late Charles Sumner, Rev. Fields Cook was called to the chair and L W. Windsor appointed Secretary. The following committee was appointed :- First Ward, Geo. L. Seaton, Edward Evans, John Sayles, Jas. Tancil and Wm. Edwards; Second Ward, Marshall Williams, Jas. Piper, Edgar Johnson, G. W. Hobday, and H. C. Robinson; Third Ward, Geo. P. Douglass, John M.

H. King; Fourth Ward, R. D. Ruffin, Rev. R. H. Robertson, John A. Seaton, Rev. Alexander Henderson, and T. B. Pinn. The following resolution, offered by R. D. Ruffin, was adopted: Resolved, That all the ministers of this city be requested to make mention of the late Hon.

Ware, G. A. Lumpkins, R. D. Beckley, and

Charles Sumper in their pulpits on Sunday next, and the Superintendents of the Sabbath Schools also. The meeting then adjourned.

The committee will meet Tuesday night next the general meeting.

FRIENDSHIP FIRE COMPANY. - The annual meeting of the Frieudship Fire Company was held in their hall last night, the Presiden, Dr. J. B. Johnson, in the chair, and William

Dariey, Secretary.

After the usual routine business had been transacted, the company went into an election of officers for the ensuing year, with the following result :- President, Dr. J. B. Johnson; 1st Vice President, B. F. Peno; 2d Vice President, James W. Nails; Treasurer, B. F. Weatley; Secretary, Wm. Darley; Commanders of Engine, Joseph Ciark, Nimrod Noland, Wm. Dobie and Samuel Fields; Commanders of Hose, Geo. Goodrich, James A. Travers and Norman Jenkins; Pipemen, John R. Cross, C. C. Chichester and James A. Dugand; Axemen, Wm. D. Chichester, Norval Robison, George Crump and Charles Mankin, jr; Projerty Men, C. C. Bradley, Charles Mankin, sr.,

James Javins and Wm. Demaine. The meeting then adjourned.

SHIP YARD. - The whole community will be glad to learn that the pr ject for establishing a first class ship yard in this city, so long talked about, has at length, owing to the efforts of Mr. Robt. Portner and Mr. James Green, assumed tangible shape, and will, in all probability, be pushed to a speedy and successful termination. made we believe the coal from the Kanawha can | ship yard, the site of the new yard, for \$10,000, the whole of which he invests in the stock of company to be organized for the purpose of ef feeting the proposed object, and the remaining portion of which--\$40,000, Mr. Portner says he has no doubt about being able to raise.

NEW STOCK COMPANY .- A company called the Jamey Car Coupling Company, the capital stock of which is fixed at \$100,000 has been at the disposal of the liberal party, or whether organized in this city with E. H. Janney, Presi- I should then claim exemption from the duties business was transacted other than the appointdent; Morton Marye, Secretary and Treasurer, hope they will not lose the opportunity to give and W. H. Marbury, Arthur Herbert, M. D. reasonable grounds to believe that, instead, of Mrs. Horatio Trundle, of Loudoun, was here Corse, R. H. Miller and Lewis McKenzie, the course which I have sketched it would be to-day with her witnesses giving evidence be-

has been appointed pastor of the M. E. Church sion be made for the present year, my successouth in this city by the Annual Conference of that church which has just adjourned.

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THE LONG BRIDGE. - Major Craighill in his report upon the Long Bridge says, in addition

to what was stated in the Gazette yesterday: meeting of the property-owners of Alexandria "The piles and other obstructions placed becounty was held on Monday evening at the Co- tween the piers' can be removed without inlumbia school-house, Arlington, Capt. H. jury to the piers so as to give a clear water w y Dwight Smith, chairman, and Mr. James C. of about seventy feet. "The committee refer to the pile of timber guides which extend above and below the piers for a considerable meeting was to take steps in regard to the distance, I reply that, in my judgment, with my present information on the subject, some such structure appears to be desirable for the Speeches were made by Mr. Sewell B. Corbett protection of those portions of the bridge adjacent to the draw spans from ac idental collisions of vessels, as well as to guide them into following preamble and resolutions were the draw opening. It seems to me, however, that they might have been arranged in a different manner, so as to afford the same protection April 21, 1808, a charter was granted to certain to the bridge as now; and while answering all parties, therein named, to build a turnpike the requirements of the existing draw to have road between the "town of Alexandria and rendered the entrance of vessels into the draw opening less difficult than it is at present -There may be reasons unknown to me which seemed to the railroad company to imperatively

on Public Property meet last night to consider the repairs on the Relief Engine House, which were ordered by Council, and adjourned to meet at the engine house to-day at 11 o'clock where with Juo. R. Lambdin, esq., architect and Mr. Elihu Stauoton, a practical brick layer of this city, they examined the house and determined upon a plan which will be carried out as soon the two cities, taking up nearly one half of the as a deed for the property shall have been consaid road, and have not and do not keep said summated. It is understood that turnpike in good repair, and have reduced the turnpike in good repair, and have reduced the story, in order to make the building perfectly Robert F. Laird, a Jersey City Justice of the story. In order to make the building perfectly safe, the lowering of the cornice about 6 feet on P. ace was arrested to day for selling liquor the front, and the repairing of the front and west walls. The old belfry will be retained, dria county in mass meeting assembled, That but instead of the oval root, will be surmounted we are in favor of internal improvements and with a neat spire. The whole interior is to be overhauled and the building put in first class repair, so far as the appropriation will allow.

> EAST ALEXANDRIA R. R - The delay in mak ing connection between the Va. Milland and is a defect in the slip on the opp site side of it too closely. To remedy this a new line of funeral. piles was driven outside the old line, and the inside piles drawn toward the exterior line; the float then worked well enough, but the northwest winds have caused an unu unily low tide. and the float sinking far below its normal position became wedged in the piles below, r quiring the removal of some piles. The necessary er who is known to pay money into any organiwork will probably be completed this afternoon. | zation than furnishes all and support to the men now on a strike."

MARRIAGE RATHER THAN THE PENITEN-TIARY.-Henson Thomas, a colored barber, committed to jail charged with the crime of seduction, on complaint of Louisa Addison, was married to the complainant in the jail last night, and this afternoon was brought before Judge Lowe on a writ of habeas corpus, and released on his own recognizance in the sum of one hundred and seventy-five dollars, for his appearance at the next term of the court. The crime of which he is charged is now a felony, and he preferred marriage to the penitentiary.

THE WEATHER. - Winter is certainly lingering in the lap of Spring-if not of May, and Sumner, a resident member, and paid approthe temperature to-day was that of December priate and elequent tributes to them. A resoinstead of that of March. The Northwest wind, Iu ion in relation to the death of Mr. Sumner for stealing hoop-poles from the land of Major night and early this morning "spits" of snow. ex-Governor Clifford, Judge Thomas, Edward Hunter, in the county, was delivered to a county lice covers the gutters of the streets and the Quincy and Rev. Mr. Waterston, was unanipools in the neighborhood, and whitens the mously adopted. edge of the shore on the opposite side of the

DEATH OF A WELL-KNOWN COLORED MAN. George Washington, a well-known and respectdied last night. He put the first fire in the stroyed early in the war at Aquia creek, and damage sustained on the last trip. since the war has been fireman on the ferry boat City of Alexandria.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.]

FROM WAHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, March 13, 1874. FUNERAL OF MR. SUMNER.

The funeral of Mr. Sumner took place to-day in accordance with the programme. The body was conveyed at 9 o'clock to the Capitol and laid in State in the rotunda until 11 o'clock, when it was taken to the Senate chamber, where the funeral ceremonies were performed. dred colored men four abreast and a long line ture and fresh to occasionally brisk north to of carriages. The cortege proceeded to the at Odd Fellows Hall to make arrangements for Baltimore and Potomac depot, where the coffin was placed in a case and the train moved off porthward. The chimes played solemn airs while the funeral was in progress.

Amongst the attendants upon the funeral were so Hated, of; do peelers 421; West Virginias II the President and his Cabinet, the Chief Jus-

hours the rounda was filled with persons visions unchanged anxious to take a last look at the distinguished

The fioral offerings were magnificent. The confined was completely covered with the rarest flowers, including a cross of japonicas, sent by fire boat of the B. & O. R. R. Co., which came Miss Nellie Grant from the White House. ALEXANDRIA POSTMASTER.

The commission of Postma-ter Berkley will. it is expected, be sent to him by the middle of next week.

Gladstone.

LONDON, March 13. - Gladstone has i sued the customary note requesting the presence of his supporters on the re-opening of Parliament. At the same time he has written to Earl Granville saying: "Whilst_discharging this duty from the latter city this morning to go down lie for just patronage, I respectfully ask a con-I feel it necessary that I should explain what a circular could not convey with regard to my icdividual position. For a variety of personal reasons I could not contemplate any unlimited extension of active political service. I desire alarm this morning was caused by the burning my political friends to clearly understand that of the chimney of a house on the corner of St. at my age I must reserve entire freedom to divest myself of the responsibilities of the leadership at no distant time. The need of rest will prevent mere than my accasional presence in the House during the present session. I should be desirous before the commencement of the 1875 session to consider whether it would be advantageous to keep my services for a time hitherto discharged. If, however, there be ment of a commutee to purchase a safe. preferable, in the view of party, generally, for fore a commissioner in regard to her claim for A. Carolin Reduced Prices. SHIRTS and return all unsold tickets by the 20th day of the at once to assume the regard to her claim for A. Carolin Reduced Prices. PERSONAL. - Rev. Mr. Waugh, the late pendent member. I should willingly do so, reton is included, and a distinguished preacher, ty, and if a leader be chosen or interim provident improved much this morning. has been appointed pastor of the M. E. Church sion be made for the present year, my succes- Prot. Robert Rei zel, a free thinker, will de-

The Temperance Cause.

NEW YORK, March 13. - Throughout Brooklyn to-day there is fasting and prayer for the

temperance cause. At a meeting in Hosson Place Methodist Church, last evening, Dio Lewis took charge for five minutes to begin work, as they did in the West. He called for all men who believe in Christian women and their work to get up, and hundreds jameed to their feet, and the applause shook the house. He next called for the women who thought intemperance a curse and were ready to help rid the country of it to rise. A multitude of women were on their feet immediately. He then called for all men and women who were ready to unite in the work to get up, and nearly everybody was standing up, and applause and the rs a tested their enthu-

WILLIAMSPORT, PA., March 13. - The women's temperance movement which commenced here on the 234 uft enrolled 190 names to day and 1,100 women are at work. Three immense mass meetings have been held, with daily prayer meetings and visits to the hotel and saloons. The whole city is arroused. Drink-RELIEF ENGINE HOUSE. - The Committee | ing men are signing the pledge, and dealers, with scarcely an exception, are meeting the ladies with kindness.

From New York.

New York, March 13.-Spefford Bros have obsauded an actuel in integraliasi the property of the Somana Bay Commany in a suit to recover \$50 (60).

James C. King, convicted last night of the marder of Authory F. O. N. 44, was this morning scutenced by Judge Bridge to the State

without a license.

S. H. Gay, who, is conjunction with Wm. C. Bryant, is engaged on a literary work to be soon announced is about to retire from the editorial staff of the Evening Post where he will be succeeded by A berr G. Browne, of Boston, Camerly Secretary to Gov. Ande w.

A special meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was held to day at which resolutions la-East Alexandria railroads, as heretofore stated, I meeting the death of the late Charles Summer, were adopted. Specches highly eulogistic of he river. The piles were driven close upon the late Seancor were made by several memthe floating wharf-head of the pier, and bound bers and a committee app inted to attend the

Strike and Strikers.

Boston, March 13, -- The employing moroe co dressers of of Lynn have adopted the fol

Resolved, That we will not employ any finish-

The strikers show an equal determination to hold out. There have been no threats or vice lege used, but as a matter of precaution extra policeman are employed to guard the factories at night. An idea of the importance of the moroeco manufacturing interest of Lynn may be learned from the fact that during the last year were turned out 2,000,000 skins, representing in value \$2,500,000.

In Memoriam.

Boston, March 13 .- At a meeting of the Massachusetts Historical Society, Robert C. Winthrop announced the death of ex-President Fillmore, an honorary member, and of Chas. 500, which commenced last Saturday night, was then offered by Charles Francis Adams,

From Philadelphia.

PPDADELPHIA, March 13.-Sixteen females graduated to-day at the communicement of the Women's Medical college as Doctors of Medi-

The steamship Pennsylvania is being repaired furnace of the steamer Columbia, was fireman and is advertised to sail April 2nd, for Liveron the steamer George Pse, which was de- pool. It is supposed that \$5,000 will cover the

Ashore.

NORF-LK, VA., 13 -The schooner D. R. Bickford with a cargo of ir in, from Baltimore for Charleston, ran ashore on mildle ground in Chesap ake bay early Wednes lay morning. The vessal filed with water. The Captain and erew are here.

Financial. LONDON, March 13 -3:30 p. m.-The smount of builder gone into the Bank of England on balance to-day is £47,000.

Weather Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, Maren 13, 11 a. m. For New England, the Middle States and Lower Lake region, fresh to very brisk north to west winds, temperature generally below freezing and partly cloudy weather will prevail The crowd was very great. After the ceremony with occasionally light snow in the latter secthe coffin was placed in an ordinary herse tion and the northern portions of the two forms drawn by four white horses, and were preceded er. For the Southern States east of the Misby mounted police, and followed by several hun- siss ppi, generally clear weather, low tempera-

The Markets.

Ngg York, March 13. - Stocks so ive Money 3. God iii. Flour quiet and unchanged. Whest dul, and declining. Corn quiet and uncharged.

BALTIMORE March 13. Virginia sixes, conthe President and his Cabinet, the Chief Jus-tice and Justices of the Supreme Court, the Diplomatic Corps, Gens. Sherman, McDowell, and other distinguished military and naval men. The crowd was immense, and for several

LOUAL BELVETERS.

In consequence of the fire at Locust Point, here to make the connection between the Virgina Midfand and the East Alexandria tailroads, used the permanent beat for that purpose, the General Buelt, shall arrive, was to e-graped for and start d for Bultimore this morning. The tag boat Katie Wise has been chartered to supply her place.

As stated yesterday, there are no systems off at an he wharf, and so great has the dearth become, both here and in Washington, that the mg J. M. Griffia was chartered by parties the river on the look out for oyster boars

There were several unsuccessful attempts. made by boys in different peris of the city, to raise an alarm of fire last night. The slight A-aph and Gibbon streets.

The track of the W. & O. R. R. has been aid to within six tenths of a mile of Pureslicide, where it is temperarily delayed by a short feb 11. The RY COOK & CO., feb 11. The rest in temperarily delayed by a short feb 11. The rest in temperarily delayed by a short feb 11. The rest in temperarily delayed by a short feb 11. The rest in temperarily delayed by a short feb 11. The rest in the r aid to within six tenths of a mile of Purcellviile, where it is temperarily delayed by a short supply of ries. The route to Parcellville will be open in a few days. A meeting of the Directors of the German

Banking Company was held list night but no sample, mailed to any address upon receipt of

The coadition of Mr. Thomas Cross, whose Presiding Elder of the distret in which Staun- taining all my desire for the welfare of the par- two legs were amputated night before last, had usual price.

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[Letter of Professor P. B. Wilson, late Assistant of Baron J. Von Liebig.]
CHEMICAL LABORATORY OF PROF. P. B. WILSON, No. 30 Second street,
Baltimore, December 1st, 1873.
Maj. N. M. TANNOR, President Guanahani Guano Co., Petersburg, Va.

Maj. N. M. TANNOR. President Guanahani Guano Co., Petersburg, Va.

Dear Sir: I have drawn samples of the Guano, as it has arrived in cargo lots, and find it exceedingly uniform in the amount of Phosphoric Acid it contains, namely, from 15 to 19 per cent.

This is combined with Lime, and is of Animal Origin, and readily assimilable by plants. It contains potential Animonia and Nitric Acid, having a combined Nitrogen value equal to from 2 to 3 per cent of Amimonia, with the alkalies Potash and Sod., and valuable proportions of Sulphate of Lime. The whole forwing a very desirable combination for all crops, and when applied to land. the crop receiving proper tillage, must, in my opinion, give as good results as any Guano offered

to the farmer.

Being of Animal Origin, the organic matter has undergone partial decomposition and it necessarily contains a valuable amount of HUMUS, which makes its fertilizing power much greater than fertilizers which are compounded largely of Peruvian Gan 10, which, beyond its Ammonia and small phosphatic value, has little or no newer in absorbing from the atmosphere and retaining in the soil the ineveable elements absorbed by moisture and brought down by the rains, as the Guano you are now placing upon the market. All of the components of this Guano are very solutive in the soil, and possess such physical properties as to render it at all times and under all circumstances as immediately available plant tood.

The late samples you sent me for analysis a from the denosit which you inform me you intend to

The late samples you sent me for unalysis, from the deposit which you inform me you intend to ship from, show a decrease in phosphalic value, but a large increase in its Nitrogen compounds. I think, however, from previous observations of cargo s, that you may reasonably expect, that cargoes taken from where these samples were drawn, will materially improve in the saline com-

ands, (Ph sebates, Alkalies and Magnesia.) P. B. WILSON, Analytical and Consulting Chemist, Respectfully, &c ,

UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA, West Philadelphia, Dec. 19, 1873.

Maj. N. M. TANNOR, Petersburg Va.
Dear Sir: In compliance with your request, I have analyzed sample of "Guanahani Guano' and have made additional examination of an average sample from a lot of 300 tons, the result of which I beg to encrace in the following: The Guano is a brownish plowder, with tumos of combinations of Gime with Cabonic, Phisphoric and Nitric Acids. It contains a considerable quantity of water, (about 20 per cent) and when Iried, is a paler brown powder. The Guano is evidently of sumularized, and the minute bones, which were discovered in the same, indicate that it is the result of the decay of bats, mice, see. The quantity of organic matter, which is still present, is about 12 per cent and this yields about 2 per cent of Ammonia. A portion of the Nitrogen is present, as Nitric acid, of which about 3 per cent were found. All the Nitrogen present would be equivalent trabout 3 per cent of Ammonia. The Chasphoric Acid in the Guano averaged about 125 per cent, equal to 21 3 per cent of Bone Phosphoric Acid in the Guano averaged about 125 per cent, equal to 21 3 per cent of Bone Phosphoric Acid in the Guano averaged slightly soluble in water, readers the Garno as quick in its action, as a corresponding quantity of Super-Phisphate would do. The small percentage of potash, which was found in the analysis, adds to its value. Maj. N. M. TANNOR, Petersburg, Va.

adds to its value. From all the experiments which I have made of the Guanahani Guano, no doubt can exist that Yours touly, t is valuable manaro.

[Letter from Ex Governor Smith. WARRENTON, VA , August 4th, 1873. WARRENTON, VA, August 4th, 1873.

Dear Siz: The extraordin ry character of the season -a rain aim of every day -puts it woodly out of my power to for a an eximate of your Guano. The crops of corn and rutabagas, to which it was applied, look very fine. Yours truly,

WM. SMITH.

BETHEL ACADEMY, FAUQUIER CO, VA., July 24th, 1873.

Deer Sir: I used your Grano on my wheat last fail, and am highly pleased with it. Think it is as good as the high priced Granos. I have a good paying crop of wheat, and the best stand of grass I ever had, and this is the opinion of those who have seen both, notwithstanding the unfavorable winter and curiv spring. I shall use it again this fall. Yours. BENJ. F. SMIPH.

[This crop of wheat, 28 bushels to the acc., was noticed in the Warranton and Alexandria papers as the finest crop in Mr. Smith's county.]

WARRENTON, VA., July 17th, 1878.

I used your Guano on wheat last year, and consider it equal to any Guano I ever used. It

LEWIS SHUMATE.

BROAD RUN STATION, FAUQUIER CO., VA., Dec. 4, 1873. Dear Sir: I left one row without your fertaizer, and used it on the next row. I used at the rate of 200 pounds to the acre. I had the corn carefully gatherel separate, and found the result as foliows: From the Guano row I shelled one bushel and nearly a half gallon; from the row without Guano I got a half bushel and not quite a quart; making fully double where I used Guano. The growth of stalk was not proportionately heavy—the strength seemed to go to the grain. I think it an excellent Spring fertilizer. The land I tried it on was quite thin. Yours, A. D. SMITH.

A-The Company recommend an application of from 200 to 250 lbs per sere, but not over the argec amount. Examine the letters of Prof. F. A. Genth, Philade'phia, Professor of Applied Chemistry, Uni-Stephen Hopkins, colored, committed to jail still continues, and brought with it early last which, after a few remarks by him, and also by versity of Pennsylvania, and Prof. P. B. Wilson, Baltimore, late Assistant to the great German Chemist, Baron J. Von Liebig.

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Collector North District. Alexandria, March 10, 1874. NOTICE-Having bought of Mr. Claridge Mr. Claridge & Grigg, I this day become so'e propri tor of the store. assuming the obligations of the late arm and continuing the DAG BUSINESS under my

tinuance of their favor.

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